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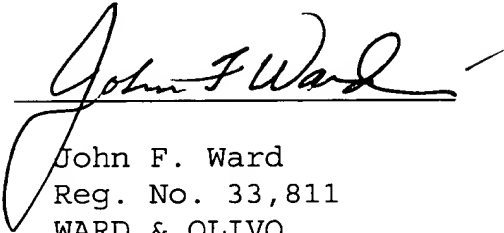
3                Please withdraw claims 13-25 from consideration in the

4        subject application.

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